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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR MAINTENANCE POLICY AND PROGRAMS

SUBJECT: Assessment of DoD Logistics Roadmap Objectives

The recently published DoD Logistics Roadmap establishes objectives and defines actions underway that build upon the three logistics goals in the Guidance for Development of the Force. To provide a strategic review of our progress toward achieving the goals and objectives an assessment of the objectives to identify capability gaps, shortfalls, redundancies and recommended solutions is essential.

Consistent with your responsibilities as the Capability Area Manager for Maintenance, I request that you conduct Department-wide assessments of the Maintenance objectives, as delineated in the Roadmap. The team should begin by assessing Objective 3.3 — Identify and Sustain Requisite Core Maintenance Capability. This initial assessment should be a 90-day effort that will identify performance measures for the objective, determine how the current programs and initiatives contribute to achieving that objective, and provide results to senior logistics leaders in November 2008.

Supply and Deployment/Distribution will also conduct assessments in their respective functional areas, beginning with one objective. In addition to providing recommendations concerning the individual objectives, your collective efforts will help refine and standardize the methodology for completing assessments of the remaining objectives. Results of the assessments will also be an integral part of an ongoing feedback process linked to the Quadrennial Defense Review and the Planning, Programming, Budgeting, and Execution cycles.

The ADUSD(SCI) Roadmap Team has documented an assessment approach and will provide training and assistance to your assessment team lead and the joint community of interest throughout the assessment process. Please provide the name of your assessment lead, by July 30, 2008, to my point of contact, Ms. Debra Bennett, who can be reached by phone at (703) 604-0098 x201 or e-mail at debra.bennett@osd.mil.

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